# **EXHIBIT A**

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- County of San Diego, California during the relevant periods set forth in the Verified Complaint.
- 3. Answering Paragraph 11, Defendants admit that COLO 6, LLC is a duly organized and existing California limited liability company, but deny the company was or is doing business in the County of San Diego, during the relevant periods set forth in the Verified Complaint.
- 4. Answering Paragraph 12, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.
- 5. Answering Paragraph 13, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.
- 6. Answering Paragraph 14, deny the allegations contained therein.
- 7. Answering Paragraph 15, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

- 8. Answering paragraph 16, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-7, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 9. Answering Paragraphs 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

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#### SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

- 10. Answering paragraph 25, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-9, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 11. Answering paragraphs 26, 27 and 28 Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

### THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

- 12. Answering paragraph 29, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-11, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 13. Answering paragraphs 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 14. Answering paragraph 37, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-13, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 15. Answering paragraphs 38, 39, 40, and 41, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

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- 16. Answering paragraph 42, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-15, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 17. Answering paragraphs 43 and 44, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

# SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 18. Answering paragraph 45, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-17, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 19. Answering paragraphs 46 and 47, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the statements therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

# SEVENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 20. Answering paragraph 48, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-19, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 21. Answering paragraphs 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, and 56, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### **EIGHTH CAUSE OF ACTION**

- 22. Answering paragraph 57, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-21, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 23. Answering paragraphs 58, 59, and 60, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### NINTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 24. Answering paragraph 61, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-23, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 25. Answering paragraphs 62 and 63, Defendants are without knowledge or information s sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

## TENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 26. Answering paragraph 64, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-25, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 27. Answering paragraphs 65, 66, and 67, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

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- 28. Answering paragraph 68, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-27, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 29. Answering paragraphs 69, 70, 71, and 72, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

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- 30. Answering paragraph 73, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-29, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 31. Answering paragraphs 74, 75, and 76, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### THIRTEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 32. Answering paragraph 77, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-31, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 33. Answering paragraphs 78, 79 and 80, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein, and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### FOURTEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 34. Answering paragraph 81, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-33, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 34. Answering paragraphs 82, 83, and 84, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the statements therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

## FIFTEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 35. Answering paragraph 85, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-34, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 36. Answering paragraphs 86, 87, and 88, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### SIXTEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 37. Answering paragraph 89, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-36, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 38. Answering paragraphs 89, 90, 91 and 92, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

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- 39. Answering paragraph 93, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-38, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 40. Answering paragraphs 94, 95, 96, 97 and 98, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### EIGHTEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 41. Answering paragraph 99, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-40, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 42. Answering paragraphs 100, 101 and 102, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

#### NINETEENTH CAUSE OF ACTION

- 43. Answering paragraph 103, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-42, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 44. Answering paragraphs 103, 104, 105 and 106, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

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- 45. Answering paragraph 107, Defendants hereby incorporate by reference each and every response contained in paragraphs 1-44, above, and re-allege the same as if fully set forth herein.
- 46. Answering paragraphs 108, 109, and 110, Defendants are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth or falsify of the allegations therein and therefore deny each and every allegation contained therein.

As and for separate and affirmative defenses, Defendants allege:

# FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction because complete diversity is lacking between plaintiff and these answering parties, all of whom are residents of California.

# SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Each purported claim for relief fails to state a claim for which the Court may grant relief against these answering parties.

# THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Any and all damages and other relief sought by plaintiff were actually and proximately caused by third parties other than these answering parties.

WHEREFORE, Defendants COLO 6 and NAVROZ HAJI pray:

- That the complaint be dismissed;
- That judgment be entered in favor of these answering parties;
- That these answering parties be awarded their attorneys fees;
- That these answering parties be awarded costs of suit; and

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1	5. That the Court enter such other and further relief as is just and proper in the premises			
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